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## FIRST LETTER

FROM MISS LAVENIA OLDMAN,

Who is Now En Route to Japan  
as a Missionary.

In Texas Her Train Was Wrecked  
But She Escaped.

Occidental Hotel, San Francisco, Cal., January 25, '99.—Dear Editors: Believing that a number of friends will be glad to hear of my safe arrival here, I will let them know about it by a letter sent your paper if you will kindly publish it for me.

As I passed through Mt. Sterling it was court day and was, as usual on such days, raining hard, so I did not stop there as I had expected.

After spending two nights with friends in Lexington, I left on Wednesday morning, January 18, over the Q. and C. on a very long journey to the East. Seven or eight friends were gathered at the South-  
ern depot to bid me farewell. I was presented by six friends of the Bible College with a flexible back revised version of the Bible, containing concordance, references, Oxford help, etc. Already it had been a great comfort to me as I read the precious promises therein recorded. How greatly I appreciate this evidence of their fidelity!

My trip from Lexington to New Orleans was delightful. The train accommodations were good and the scenery beautiful. We had a good view of Lookout mountain, and as this was my first trip through the South, the pine forests with their hanging gray moss were a novel sight to me.

I left New Orleans on the Sunset Limited. I had been promised the best accommodations, but as there was a crowd leaving, an extra coach was added. This was not so nice.

There was no vestibule; the windows did not fit close and the upholstering was not good. There was considerable grumbling among the other passengers and justly so I thought. We were paying first-class prices and getting second-class accommodations. Before the trip was over we were all thankful for the added coach. The conductors were excellent and the service was good. As we passed over the desert the sand sifted in at every crevice and the top of dust became so dense we could hardly breathe.

As we were speeding along over the plains of Texas, forty miles from San Antonio, going at the rate of about sixty miles per hour, a switch had been left open and our train dashed into an engine on the side-track. Our engineer reversed his engine but the distance was too short for this to help much. Our fireman seeing the danger jumped and was instantly killed.

THIS IS AN...

## Opportunity!

In order to reduce our immense stock of

## Queensware, Lamps and Glassware

before taking invoice, we will make you a price on each and every article.

W. W. REED,  
Hardware,  
Queensware

Mt. Sterling, - Ky.

MT. STERLING, KENTUCKY, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1899.



## ARMY BILL

Passed in the House by a Vote of \$60,000,000 of Church Property

168 to 125.

## PAY NO TAXES.

in Greater New York.

## SOME OF ITS PROVISIONS.

## TRINITY LEADS THEM ALL.

The bill to reorganize and increase the standing army to about 100,000 men, but giving the President authority to reduce the size of infantry companies and cavalry troops to sixty men each, thus fixing a minimum of about 50,000 men, passed the House by a vote of 168 to 125.

The bill was passed in addition to the general officers and staff departments, two twelve regiments, (cavalry of twelve troops each, four coast batteries, twenty-four field batteries, three regiments of infantry of twelve companies each, a corps of engineers and one regiment of sappers, an ordnance department and a signal corps, the latter with 625 enlisted men.)

Mr. Johnson (R.P. Ind.) offered the following amendment to abolish caps:

"That no officer or private soldier shall be detailed to sell intoxicating drinks as a bartender or otherwise, in any post exchange nor cau- ter, nor shall any other person be required or allowed to sell such liquors in any encampment or fort, or on any premises used for military purposes by the United States."

The most valuable Presbyterians Church in the Fifth Avenue, of which Dr. Hall is pastor. This is valued at \$800,000. Third, other Presbyterian Churches are valued at \$300,000, \$175,000 and \$120,000.

Other costly places of worship in New York are the Collegiate Dutch Church, \$300,000; Temple Emanuel, \$350,000; Broadway Tabernacle, \$300,000; Grace Episcopal, \$500,000; St. George's, \$400,000; St. Bartholomew's, \$450,000; Calvary Baptist, \$300,000; Calvary Methodist, \$250,000, and German Evangelical, \$125,000.

All these valuations are probably too low. Church property exempt from taxation foots up \$63,995,000.

Women Should Know It.

Many women suffer untold agony and misery because the nature of their disease is not correctly understood.

They have been led to believe that womb trouble or female weakness of some sort is responsible for the many ills that beset woman-kind.

Neuralgia, nervousness, headache, puffy or dark circles under the eyes, rheumatism, a dragging pain or dull ache in the back, weakness or bearing down sensation, prostration or scanty supply of urine, with strong odor, frequent desire to pass it with scaling or burning sensation, sediment in it after standing in hot or common glass for twenty-four hours, are signs of kidney and bladder trouble.

The above symptoms are often attributed by the patient herself or by her physician to female weakness or womb trouble. Hence, so many fail to obtain relief, because they are treating, not the disease itself, but a reaction of the primary cause, which is kidney trouble.

In fact, women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same remedy.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is the great discovery of the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is easy to get at my drug store for 10 cents or one dollar.

To prove it's wonderful merits you may have a sample bottle and book telling all about it, both sent absolutely free by mail. Kindly mention the Mt. Sterling Advocate and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Advertising Pays.

Twenty stores in New York paid \$2,000,000 last year for advertising in the city papers. John Wanamaker heads the list with \$325,000; Seligman & Co. next with \$300,000, and on down to the lowest, which is \$15,000. All have made larger advertising appropriations for this year—and still there are those who claim that advertising does not pay.

The biggest millionaire is not rich enough to afford to lose heaven.

## It Will Do You Good.

Are you constipated? Do you have sick headaches? Is your nervous system, liver or kidneys out of order? If so, cure yourself by using Wright's Colery Tea. It improves the complexion. Price 25 cents. Sold by W. S. Lloyd, druggist.

A steamboat loaded with flour, salt and supplies recently left Farmers for West Liberty on the Licking.

The biggest millionaire is not rich enough to afford to lose heaven.

## A PREACHER

REV. COLLIS, OF LEXINGTON,

Makes a Vigorous Attack Upon  
Saloons.

He Answers Bishop Potter, of New  
York.

Rev. Mark Collis, of Broadway Christian church, Lexington, preached to a large audience on Sunday night, January 29th. He earnestly plead with the citizens to refuse to put in public office men engaged in the liquor business.

He assailed the recent inaction of Bishop Potter, of New York, who said:

"The saloon is a social necessity; I repeat it, it is a social necessity, in so far as the recreative instinct in human beings makes it a social necessity. The man who keeps the saloon and who says it is the poor man's club tells the truth. It is a place to which the working man can go to find refuge after the day's till is done from his kindly wife and rousing children."

Rev. Collis comments thus:

"I could understand the paid天然 of the saloon in bringing such sentiments. But how one wearing Episcopal honors, how a minister of Christ who came to seek and to save the which is lost, how even a man claiming to be simply a philanthropist could hold views like those I am unable to say."

"The Bishop's position is this: The working man comes home tired; he needs companionship and recreation; home is unattractive, there are no pictures, no music, no carpet; there are peevish and squalling children and a cross and untidy wife; the saloon is open to him, there are light, heat, pictures, music, companionship, and there he is welcomed and entertained. The saloon meets his wants and so it is a necessity and the saloon-keeper is his best friend."

"Well, there is nothing new in this. We have heard it before. The startling thing is it comes from a great American churchman and not from the orator of a Liquor Dealers' Association. But how false is the position! True is it that the working man needs recreation, that he may go back to his work on the morrow refreshed in body, quickened in mind and better fitted for his daily calling? That is recreation, creating over his wasted energies. It is not dissipation, the scattering of the forces that a kind nature has provided."

"The best thing I have seen in answer to the learned Bishop came from Father Doyle, the editor of the Catholic World. I am glad to read such utterances from a Roman Catholic. Perhaps you have read his works. He says: 'There is a great deal of madness talk these days about the saloon being the poor man's club. In the name of the poor but honest workman, I resent such an imputation. The saloon has been a club indeed to beat the brains from too many a poor fellow in intoxication; a club to knock the money from his pocket that should have gone for the clothing of his family and the feeding of his children; a club to level him to the earth again who would try to rise to him and to independent manhood. There may be laid at the door of the saloon of this city too much of the degradation of mankind, too much of the prostitution of womanhood and too much of the damnation of childhood for a godly churchman to stand forth and apologize for their existence or to give them countenance in their law-defying ways."

Rev. Collis here indorsed with highest praise the above. Continuing Rev. Collis said:

"Oh, the curse of our land is the saloon. It debauches our men, it ruins our boys, it breaks the hearts of mothers and fathers and wives, it forces gambling and prostitution, it is the enemy of good government, it is

## Enoch's Bargain House!

## SPECIAL BARGAINS THROUGHOUT THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY.

## Enoch's Bargain House,

WEST MAIN STREET,

Mt. Sterling.

the open violator of the law, it defies decency and good order, it is the enemy of all that is pure and sweet and best. It is not entitled to one word of apology."

## A Dog Case.

A novel case was tried in the quarterly court on Wednesday. Ed Adams, of Jessamine county, sought to recover a dog from Elijah Cheatle, which the latter detained on his premises for 30 days. A number of witnesses were introduced, a large crowd was in attendance, Letcher Owlsley was special judge, and six lawyers were employed in the case and two Baptist preachers were on the jury. The trial concluded the entire day and the lawyers for the plaintiff claimed that he was a good con dog, and that the bites of the con had not been detained would have been worth \$10. They claimed this amount or the dog. After a few moments' deliberation the jury gave the dog to the plaintiff.—Interior Journal.

It is not strange that neighbors will go to law about such trivial matters?

## About Catarrh.

It is caused by a cold or succession of colds, combined with impure blood. Its symptoms are pain in the head, discharge from the nose, ringing noise in the ears. It is cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which purifies and enriches the blood, soothes and rebuilds the tissue and relieves all the disagreeable sensations.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills. Easy to take, easy to operate; reliable, sure. 25c.

## ADVOCATE PUBLISHING CO.

Tuesday, Feb. 7, 1898.

Received in the Post Office at Mt. Sterling as Second Class Mail Matter.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION:  
SUBSCRIPTION: \$1.00  
allowed to run six months.

## TERMS ANNOUNCEMENT.

For County Offices \$5  
or District " 10Cash must accompany order.  
No announcement inserted unless paid for.We are authorized to announce  
John B. Chapman, of Madison county,  
a candidate for State Auditor, and  
for the action of the Democratic  
Party.I am a candidate for reelection as  
Railroad Commissioner from the  
Third Kentucky District, subject to  
the action of the Democratic  
Party. I desire to vote on a quiet  
basis, and to keep with the will of the voters of the  
district.  
Respectfully,  
John C. Wood.I am a candidate to represent the  
counties of Montgomery and Meade  
in the next Legislature of Kentucky,  
subject to the action of the Democ-  
ratic party, and I desire to vote on a quiet  
basis, and to keep with the will of the voters of the  
district.

L. N. GREENE.

## IT WAS RIGHT

It is currently reported that  
Prosecuting Attorney, W. A. Young  
set the trap in which the  
gambling pugs were caught.  
We do not know whether there is one  
scintilla of truth in the report, but  
if there is it is only to the credit  
of Mr. Young.We have laws against gambling  
they were created by the entire  
Commonwealth and it is a part of  
Mr. Young's duty to see that  
those laws are enforced.If men are violating these laws  
it is of their own choosing and the  
consequences they must bear. In  
other cities officially by the deepest  
and most secret plans that they  
may entrap the gamblers, the  
managers of gaming rooms, and  
others in their infamous practices.Such schemes in the cities are  
common and it is the only way by  
which these secret violators of law  
can be detected.In detecting, iniquitous distillers the  
same means are employed. The  
good people—abiding citizens  
—will stand by the Prosecuting  
Attorney and the officials in their  
effort to uphold the law and in  
forcing violators to a strict ac-  
count. At the final sitting of the  
grand jury last week eight other  
unfortunate were discovered and  
indicted, be it said to the credit of  
the grand jury and others who  
brought it about.The Indiana House of Repre-  
sentatives has passed a bill reducing  
the mileage of members from 20  
cents to 3 cents. If the salary or  
compensation of a Representative  
in Indiana is no longer than it is in  
Kentucky (\$3 per day), the mem-  
bers will see something extra in  
order to meet the actual necessary  
expenses. It is hardly probable  
that any member of the Legis-  
lature can pay his legitimate expen-  
ses with the income from the  
office. Some people may think  
that the honor of such an office is  
sufficient compensation but the  
financial consideration should not  
be overlooked. As there are dan-  
gers in extravagant salaries, so  
there are temptations which beset  
public men who are compelled to  
expend more than they receive.  
If a man has been fortunate in ac-  
quiring this world's goods he can  
afford to sacrifice some of it in  
serving his country. Whether rich  
or poor financially, public men  
should be capable, temperate and  
impeachable.

## SAM JONES.

At Hopkinsville last week the  
wits of the Rev. Sam Jones were  
put to the test and failed him. He  
had formerly declared that Hon.  
William Jennings Bryan was without  
capacity equal to becoming the  
President of the United States,  
because he paid less than \$9 taxes  
per annum. This is in the face of  
the fact that not a few of our great  
leaders paid only a poll tax, the  
immortal Webster being one of  
them.While Mr. Jones was gloating  
over the impression he had made  
against bimetallism, a telegram  
was sent to Mr. Bryan's home,  
asking for a statement of Mr. Bryan's  
taxes paid for the past three  
years. The answer came from the  
Sheriff that it was more than  
\$100 in '95, more than \$200 in  
'97 and more than \$300 in '98,  
and Mr. Jones was requested to  
correct his statement, which he  
promised to do during the meet-  
ing. When the correction was  
made, it proved an exhibition of  
the littleness of the man. "He  
would not do injury to the man,"  
but from the yearly increase it  
would appear that in '95 his tax's  
were about as he had stated and  
that his increase in property dur-  
ing these three years of single-  
standard was proof of the falla-  
cy of his silver theory.Mr. Jones did not tell the people  
that Mr. Bryan's money had  
been made from the sale of a  
book, popular because it taught  
the doctrines of bimetallism and  
that the money came from the  
striving poor, who are yearning  
for better times, and that the in-  
creased sales each year was evi-  
dence of the increasing popularity  
of the cause Mr. Bryan represents.  
Mr. Jones may be able to con-  
ceive as a drawing card, with his  
ranging tactics before religious  
congregations, but when he gets into  
political lines as the tool of gold  
bugs, he must confine himself to  
fact or get the hot end of the  
poker.There are a whole lot of cross-  
road politicians who have forgot-  
ten more about great men than  
Sam Jones will ever know, and  
they will ever be ready to call him  
to task.If Mr. Jones has a call to the  
gospel ministry, and if that call is  
of God, we know of no way any  
man has of making a change,  
and it might be well for Mr. Jones  
to seek to be returned to Confer-  
ence. One thing is certain, he  
cannot serve as a gospel minister  
and give his time to secular em-  
ployment.On the first page is an article  
containing extracts from a sermon  
by Rev. Mark Collis, of Lexing-  
ton, in which he quotes the re-  
ported utterances of Bishop Potter  
of New York, and comments  
thereon. In other columns will  
be found a different version of the  
Bishop's attitude toward the sa-  
moot, also a letter from Rev. G. C.  
Abbot of this city, containing a  
statement over Bishop Potter's  
signature. Our desire is to fairly  
represent all men and measures,  
hence we cheerfully give space to  
these explanations. The press  
reports of the Bishop's sermon  
have called forth many criticisms.  
We leave our readers to decide  
for themselves.While our City Fathers are giv-  
ing instructions for the improve-  
ment of our pavements, etc., it  
would be well for the representa-  
tives of the second ward to see  
that a little repairing is done in  
their bailiwick. The pavement on  
the West side of Harrison avenue  
just after turning the corner from  
High street, reminds us of a  
stumblebed just after a freeze.  
"There are others" also in the  
East end that need looking after.We must move by Mar. 1st. Auction  
at Bee Hive store Wednesday  
and Saturday afternoon.

## ANOTHER GREAT COMBINE

There is no doubt in the fact  
that the multitude of enterprises  
are being combined into as many  
as there are kinds. This action  
on the part of capitalists, it has  
been often truly said, was for the  
purpose of lessening their labor  
account, and being placed in posi-  
tion to control prices on its crude  
material, as well as the output of  
the combination. That such mea-  
sures are hurtful to the business in-  
terests of the country is fully un-  
derstood. For instance, combination  
means consolidation, which  
lessens the number of laborers in  
each branch plant, and therefore  
puts a number of men out of em-  
ployment. More than this com-  
petition being at an end, the la-  
borers, left at the will of their  
masters, are forced to accept  
wages offered or to go unemploy-  
ed. The cost of the great outputs  
from the combination is, therefore,  
reduced to a minimum. If the  
consumer was to reap any benefit  
from this reduction in price, it  
would not be so bad; but the his-  
tories of all combinations are the  
same—cutting down of wages, dis-  
charging laborers, lessening the  
price of crude material, increasing  
that of their products. This goes  
to show that there is but one  
party the beneficiary, namely, the  
capitalist. When these combina-  
tions are to be forbidden by law is  
not in the mind of man. To-day  
we are called upon to discourage  
the active forces of the country by  
the cast iron plants of the country.  
The capital stock is \$24,000,000.  
The output of 95 per cent. of the  
entire output of pipe in this coun-  
try, and before another issue pipes  
will have advanced.

## ENLOE AND THE DISPATCH

Mr. Enloe's statement and  
those of the present editor and  
President of the Dispatch are very  
much at variance. It matters not  
whether Mr. Enloe's statement or  
that of the present managers be  
true, an investigation by the  
stockholders is now necessary,  
and to this we do suppose the  
friends of either party will object.  
It should be done for the interest  
of the stockholders, for the interest  
of the management and the party to  
which the Dispatch owes alle-  
giance.By a committee of disinterested  
Democrats, wrongs may be dis-  
covered and righted and the Dis-  
patch saved from irreparable loss.  
The statements made by Mr. Enloe  
make an investigation of the  
Dispatch imperative and those by  
the President and editor invite it  
as well.

## Congressman Colson and Others.

A Washington dispatch of Febr-  
uary 3 says:  
The House Committee on Judiciary  
has decided that members of the  
House who accepted commissions in  
the army vacated their seats. They  
are Wheeler, of Alabama; Campbell,  
of Illinois; Colson, of Kentucky, and  
Robbins, of Pennsylvania.

## CASTORIA

Bears the Kind You Have Always Bought  
of Chas. Fletcher.

## Now in the Pen.

Sheriff Jones on yesterday morning  
took to the Frankfort penitentiary  
Pies, Mastison and Ernest Ham-  
ilton, both colored, the former's  
sentence being for twenty years  
and the latter's for three. There are  
now nine more prisoners in the county  
jail.The Louisville Dispatch, during  
its short existence, has been re-  
garded as the State Democratic  
Journal. That it has been a power  
for Democratic influence no man  
of judgment can question. Mr.  
Enloe's resignation should not be  
a reason for losing its hold on the  
people, unless it should turn out,  
as has been reported, that it is to  
be used in the influence of corpora-  
tions. We take it that there is a  
personal grievance somewhere  
which actuated Mr. Enloe, and  
that surely the reasons given by  
him are more a fancy than reality.  
With Mr. Stewart at the  
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lines pursued by the Dispatch, and  
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ests of the people, swerving neither  
to the right nor the left from  
the platform of 1896. We shall  
not condemn Mr. Enloe, neither  
will we lose faith in the Dispatch  
as a Democratic journal.It looks as if Eastern Kentucky  
was unanimously in favor of Judge  
Jas. H. Hazelrig, for Democratic  
nominee for Governor, judging from  
the many favorable comments with  
which the announcement has been  
received.—The Democrat, Winchester.

## WAR!

## THE WAR IS ON AT MANILA.

The Philippines Make the Attack—  
Our Army Successful.On Saturday night at 8:45 the  
Philippines made an attack upon  
the American forces at Manila  
and renewed the attack during the  
night.Reports are favorable for our  
army and navy.About twenty Americans are  
reported killed and probably one  
hundred and twenty-five wounded.The loss to the Philippines is said  
to be very heavy. They were  
driven from several villages and  
routed.Our gun boats shelled their  
flanks.Orders have been issued from  
Washington that Aguinaldo and  
his forces be crushed.Our troops fought valiantly.  
The fight was continued on Sun-  
day.Everything favorable to our  
army.The peace treaty was ratified  
yesterday afternoon at 3:45 by a  
majority of three votes over the  
necessary two-thirds.The Eagle, King of All Birds,  
is noted for its keen sight, clear  
and distinct vision. See those persons  
who use Sutherland's Eagle Eye  
Saws for weak eyes, sore eyes  
of any kind or granulated lids. Sold  
by all dealers at 25 cents.

## Condition of Our Army at Manila.

On Friday last, Ois sent to the  
War Department the following:Despatch among the troops in Philip-  
pines since arrival to February 1,  
seven months, 220, of which 41 were  
due to wounds and accidents. Of the  
remaining 180, 65 were five days old  
of typhoid, forty-three of small-pox, twenty-  
two of dysentery, eight of material  
fever. The more sickly season is dur-  
ing the hot months, March, April and  
May, when fevers, small-pox and dys-  
entery are more prevalent. Nine per  
cent. of the command are now report-  
ed sick.

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## \$3,000.

On March 1st I will have the above  
amount to loan on city or farm prop-  
erty or personal security.

## A. HOFFMAN, AGT.

See in this issue the advertisement of  
the Stofer property in this city.Remember the Court day dinner by  
the ladies of the Christian church.Auction at Bee Hive store Wednes-  
day afternoon.

## Pianos! Organs!

A FINE STOCK to  
SELECT FROM.We are ready to offer  
extra inducements  
to you to buy  
NOW!Graphophones, Sheet Music, Guitars, Mandolins,  
Sewing Machines, at lowest prices at  
PECKHAM'S  
Broadway Music Store,  
Mt. Sterling, Ky.

## Attention, Farmers!

We have Special Facilities for

Sharpening and Resetting Grass Seed Stripper Combs,  
And in order to induce Montgomery County farmers to bring us their Combs now,  
so that we can repair them before the busy season, we will  
Sharpen and Reset all 6 Feet Combs brought us before February 15, for \$5.00 each,  
5 Feet Combs " " " " " for \$8.00 each.  
Our prices after February 15 will be \$6.50 and \$6.00. All Work guaranteed.L. T. & Chas. Hagan Machine Shops,  
Main St., at L. T. & Chas. Hagan,  
WINCHESTER, KENTUCKY.Attention!  
A Line  
of  
Bargains!  
In All Classes of  
Furniture:Chiffoniers,  
Side Boards,  
China Closets,  
Book Cases,  
Folding Beds,  
Dining Chairs,  
Rocking Chairs,  
Dressing Tables,  
Ladies' Desks,  
Iron Beds,  
Etc., etc.UNDERTAKING  
A SPECIALTY.Sutton &  
Harris,  
Fizer Building, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

## Public Sale!

As assignee of Priest Bros. I will sell at public  
sale on

Saturday, Feb. 11, '99,

At 8 o'clock p. m., on the premises in North Mid-  
dleton, Bourbon County, Ky., the following  
real estate, including dwelling, office and  
dwelling combination, favorably located on Main  
street, being a large shingle, etc., etc., and is well  
fenced and enclosed, and is in good condition.  
Store-room and dwelling in a frame with metal  
roofing, and dwelling has a good fireplace, and  
is well furnished. Good investment for  
business, either general merchandising or dry  
goods, as it is a good investment, and is  
from the fact that it would not be good to bring  
the amount invested.I will make a specialty of Bank-  
ruptcy practice before A. T. WoodReferee for the District composed of  
Montgomery, Bath, Menifee and Rowan  
counties. I am prepared to attend to such matters at once.H. S. Wood,  
Attorney at Law,  
Tyler Apperson Building,  
Mt. Sterling, Ky.

## Farm For Sale.

The ladies of the Christian church  
will give one of their famous din-  
ners on next court day.Don't fail to attend the auction sale  
at Bee Hive store Wednesday after-  
noon at 2 o'clock.

The best preventive of vice is serv-

ice.



## DISEASES THAT KILL

Consumption is a disease of the lungs. Certain complications make consumption incurable.

These cases of death from consumption are the direct result of neglected cases.

Per-ru-nu works harmoniously with nature to eject the tubercles from the lungs, and works so successfully that if there is a cure for consumption Per-ru-nu is the remedy.

Read all I can tell you from Mrs. H. A. Tracy of Erie, Pa., N. C., about her daughter, Mrs. L. Keene. She says:

Per-ru-nu Medicine Co., Columbus, O.

DEAR SISTER.—My daughter had every symptom of consumption—suppression of menses, night-sweats and great emaciation. She was so low that none of our neighbors thought she would live. In May, Mrs. M. A. Adams, of this place, who had taken Per-ru-nu, told me if anything would help her Per-ru-nu would. I got a bottle of it and some rock candy and began giving it to her. During the first few days she was so weak she could not even sit up, but I was afraid at a time, but I gave it to her as often as she could bear it. In less than a week she could walk two hundred yards and back without resting; she kept going stronger, and in twelve days she was strong enough to use her eyes even in life. I feel, and so does every one that knew about her sickness, that Per-ru-nu saved her life. My daughter's name is Mrs. L. Keene."

## TOBACCO COMBINE.

The Union Tobacco Company of America Incorporated.

A certificate of consolidation of the Union Tobacco Company of America and North American Commercial Company was filed with the Secretary of State on last Wednesday, the title of the first-named corporation being retained. The capital stock is \$19,350,000, divided into 12,000,000 of common and 7,350,000 of preferred stock.

The principle business of the company will be located in New York City.

Nearly all of the directors are New Yorkers.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bear the Signature of *Castorina*

### Attacked by Crows.

The following, which sounds much like a fairy tale, comes from Henderson:

"George Aldrich, a farmer living near Poole, Webster county, is now in a serious condition, the result of an attack made on him by a flock of crows.

The mischievous birds were doing great damage to the growing wheat in that section.

With his gun and in company with a twelve year old son, Aldrich went out to drive the voracious birds from his farm. He

killed a lot of them, but instead of flying away, myriads of them flew

down upon him and the boy, pecking and scratching them in the face and all over the body.

The boy escaped, but his father resisted the attack until he was physically exhausted and bleeding all over.

His eyes are put out it is believed, and his entire body lacerated. Hundreds of the birds were killed before they were put to flight."

Danny McLeod, champion catch-as-catch-can wrestler of America, gave Adil, "the Terrible Turk," a hard contest at St. Paul last Tuesday and won the bout.

Adil, underook to throw McLeod twice in an hour. He secured one fall in 27 minutes and 16 seconds by means of his superior weight, but failed to repeat the performance, thereby losing the contest and \$1,000.

### Not Far Behind.

"What profession do you follow?" He: "The medical profession." She: "All then you're a doctor?" He: "Oh, no; I'm an undertaker!"

Uncle Tom, Greer, aged 74, a respected old colored man, died at the home of Mrs. Mary Thompson on High street on Friday, January 27. Uncle Tom was one of the true negroes, and always knew his place. His kind is fast disappearing.

Hasty words and actions are seldom right ones. Always think twice at the same time remembering that a soft answer turneth away wrath.

He is not a Christian who covets the good fortune of his friends.

## TROLLEY CARS

### WIL WHIZ THROUGH EGYPT

American Equipments to Be Used in the Land of the Pharaohs.

Trolley cars of Pittsburgh are to invade the land of the Pharaohs. Negotiations have been closed by the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company for the equipment of twenty cars of the ordinary trolley type for use in the streets of Cairo. This will be the first in the country, but it is proposed to build another line to the Pyramids as soon as the natives become accustomed to the operation of the cars, and later to connect Alexandria and Cairo by trolley.

This is the second important order received in Pittsburgh within a week for Egyptian improvement. The Schoen Pressed Steel Company is to build four hundred steel cars for the Soudan railway.

### A Little Girl's Essay on Temperature.

A little school girl in the rural district of Georgia was told to write a composition on "Temperature." She turned out the following: "Temperature is more better than whisky. Whisky is ten cents a drink, and lots of it. My pa drinks whisky. It has been full 113 times. One night he came home late and ma went out and cut some hickories and swallowed him good. Then she ducked his head in a tub of soapsuds and locked him up in the barn. And the next morning my pa said he reckoned he'd swear off."

Foot Pad Holds Up Trimble McKee.

Hold ups are becoming popular. During the past week or so quite a number have occurred. Among the lucky persons was Mr. Trimble McKee, a student of the Kentucky State College, who was held up about eight o'clock Friday evening while passing the alley opposite the custom house. A man sprang out from the alleyway and grabbed him by the collar, probably with the intention of frightening him or throwing him down. At any rate, McKee during the struggle that followed was able to draw his knife. He at once began to carve his man. Probably finding this to his taste, the would-be foot-pad ran—Lexington Herald.

Trimble is the son of H. Clay McKee, of this city.

Stewart & Evans' Combination Sale.

Arrangements are perfecting for a grand combination horse and mule sale in this city on Friday and Saturday, March 17 and 18.

Misses Stewart and Evans can be found at J. B. White's grocery, where they will give desired information.

This sale will immediately follow Smiley's sale at Lexington, which closes on March 18, and precedes Woodard & Shanklin's sale, which begins March 20.

Oat Meal Combine—What Next?

A combine with an estimated capital of \$33,000,000, covering all grades of breakfast foods in bulk and package will be launched in a few days.

The American Cereal company and ten smaller ones are to be absorbed.

School Closed.

The public school near Sideview, taught by Miss Pearl Bruton, closed on Friday, and she on Monday began a subscription school at same place.

She has been there about five years.

Centre College Student killed.

On Wednesday John Brown, aged 18, from Owen county, was struck by a passenger train on the Cincinnati Southern road at Danville, and was killed. He and friends were boating.

Dr. N. F. Plichta has returned from Indiana. He bought a residence and five acres of land at Harrisburg, Fayette county, and will remove there soon. We wish for him great success in his new home.

Sharkey and Corbett have signed articles for another scrap to take place in Chicago on March 5. So now, my sporting friends, look out for another fake.

Calling cards furnished on short notice.

### The Flour That Makes the Best Bread.

The soft, fine white flour will give as large an amount of muscle, bone or nerve-making food as the whole wheat flour, which constitutes itself a complete life-sustainer. In selecting flour choose that which is dark in color and free from bran. The best bread flours in the market are of a yellowish-white tinge, rather granulated, and do not easily pack. They make a strong and elastic dough. Though not whole wheat flours are doubtless the best of the white flours. After selecting the flour the next important thing is to have a good, strong, sweet and pure yeast. The compressed cakes are good and convenient, and will do the work much more quickly than ten times the amount of home-made or baker's yeast. When setting bread to rise, stand your bread-pans in another of warm water; cover the two so that the moisture will pass over the top of the dough at an even temperature of 75 degrees Fahrenheit.—Mrs. S. T. Rorer in *Ladies' Home Journal*.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

of *Castorina*

Turnpike Corporations Win Again.

Gov. Bradley has pardoned before trial the Mayville and Mt. Sterling and Maville and Lexington Turnpike Road Companies, indicted in the Mason Circuit Court for failure to report to the financial condition of the companies to the Mason County Court last year within the time prescribed by law. The following reasons are given by the Governor for the action taken: "These indictments will result in fine, one-half of which will be paid by the State, and the State will derive no benefit. Mr. Baldwin has already been robbed of a fortune by turnpike raiders and their sympathizers, and the State has lost as much. Owing to the uncertain condition of values and incomes it appears that a report could not have been made."

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BISHOP CLAY.

Lexington, Ky.

Funeral designs and decorations

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Turnpike Floral Co.

28-41

First-class tenants wanted.

28-41 W. BEAN.

Read the advertisement of J. C.

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It is first-class.

## K & K K & K K & K

## DPS. K. & K.

The Leading Specialists of America

20 YEARS IN OHIO.

250,000 CURED.

## WE CURE EMISSIONS

Nothing can be more demoralizing to young or gallant men than the presence of a chronic emission. It produces weakness, weariness, a feeling of depression, and a general debility. They and a man for business, married or single, need to be cured.

Whether caused by civil rights, natural weakness or sexual excess, our CURE will remove the cause and cure you.

## NO CURE - NO PAY

Reader, you need help. Early abuse or exposure to the "worries" may have done you a great deal of harm. You are not to fail to cure. Our New Method is the only one that can do this.

250,000 CURED.

Young Man—You are pale, feeble and haggard; person, brittle and easily fatigued; you become forgetful and depressed; face and hands are wrinkled; you are weak, listless and listless; you are not a permanent cure required.

NO CURE - NO PAY.

## Boils and Pimples

They Are Danger Signals, Meaning Impure Blood

All Such Eruptions Are Cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"I suffered with boils and pimples and also had constant headache. After taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I was entirely relieved of these difficulties, and am now able to attend to my business. We have had Hood's Sarsaparilla in our family for a long time." NINA G. VANPEZ, Danville, Kentucky.

"I was broken out all over with large red blisters, which itched and bothered me all the time. My sister recommended Hood's Sarsaparilla to me. I took it and after I had taken these medicines a short time I was in better health than I had been for years, and I am now cured." MRS. W. D. MYERS, Bowling Green, Ky.

**Hood's Sarsaparilla** is the Best—In fact the One True Blood Purifier. Price, \$1.00 for 50.

**Hood's Pills** are the best after-dinner pills, aid digestion. 50c.

### Democratic Committee Meeting.

Pursuant to notice, the members of the Democratic Committee of the counties of Montgomery and Menefee, composing the 90th Legislative district of Kentucky, met at Chambers' Station on the 26th day of January, 1899, when H. D. Combs was elected Chairman of said meeting, and Allie W. Young, Secretary. Thereupon the following resolutions were offered and adopted:

1. Resolved, That the Democrats of said counties of Montgomery and Menefee meet at their respective Court-houses in mass convention on the 25th day of February, 1899, at 1 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of selecting delegates to attend the general convention, composed of said counties, which is called to meet on the 1st day of March, 1899, at 10 o'clock a.m., at Chambers, Ky., for the purpose of nominating a Democratic candidate to represent the counties of Montgomery and Menefee in the next General Assembly of Kentucky.

2. Be it further resolved, That said counties shall have representation upon floor of said convention as follows: One (1) delegate vote for each two hundred (200) or fraction over one hundred (100) votes cast for Thos. Y. Flanagan, for Congress, at the last November, 1898, election.

3. Be it further resolved, That any Democratic desire to have his claims considered before said convention, shall leave with Robt. Marshall, Chairman of the Democratic Committee of this district, written notice of his candidacy for said nomination ten (10) days before the date fixed for holding the county conventions; and if but one person should file such notice, within said time, then the members of the Executive Committees, of said counties, shall meet at Chambers, Ky., on the 18th day of February, 1899, at 9 o'clock a.m., and shall declare said person the nominee of the Democratic party for this legislative district, and issue certificate of nomination.

4. Be it further resolved, That the Mt. Sterling Advocate, of Mt. Sterling, Ky.; the Agitator, of Frenchburg, Ky., and the Sentinel-Democrat, of Mt. Sterling, Ky., be requested to publish the proceedings of this meeting and that call. On motion said meeting is now adjourned.

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ALLIE W. YOUNG, Secy.

Wouldn't Work on Principle.

Eighteen tramps, who were put on bread and water for thirty days for refusing to work on the stone pile, have maintained their honor and reputation by sticking their time out on the limited diet rather than work. Their time is out now, and they were released. The hoboes were offered full rations if they would return to the rock house, but all refused to hit a hammar, notwithstanding the fact that the allowance of hard bread was reduced to one slice a day. The Woman's Christian Temperance Union also tried it hand on the vagrants by holding prayer meetings at the jail, but this had no effect on them. The imprisoned tramps were released Monday, since which time not a hobo has been seen in the town. The departing guests evidently drew a danger line around the town on departing as a warning to the wearisome Willies, as none of the craft have been seen since their release. Before that the place was a warming with them. —Kokomo, Ind., telegram to the Chicago Inter Ocean.

Some people are forever putting their feelings under other people's feet, and then crying because they are hurt.

### FARMERS

#### Should Consider This and See the Value of Advertising.

Most of our merchants know the value of advertising and profit by it, but our farmers have not yet fully appreciated the merits of advertising their products and their wants. During the past year several farmers have taken a small space for the year. One, for instance, did so and advertised a lot of sheep which were soon sold; next he advertised some pure bred chickens; they were soon disposed of, and next he advertised a cow, etc. Occasionally he will advertise for something he wants to buy instead of something he wants to sell, and thus he will keep in touch at all times with those who will be of value to him.

Another farmer says he regards the advertising columns of the local newspaper as the best medium either for buying or selling. If he has a stack of hay or a milch cow for sale, or wishes to buy a few sheets or a little corn, he thinks it wise to spend a few cents in advertising these things, telling a thousand persons where he would not be able to tell a dozen personally. If by advertising one's more extended purchaser is induced to attend a sale, the additional amount obtained by his presence will more than pay the cost of advertising.—Ex.

#### Very Submissive.

A minister tells of a little girl who had been naughty. When bed-time came his mother said to her:

"Now, Mabel, when you say your prayers, be sure to ask God to help you not be a naughty little girl."

Mabel promised that she would add this petition to her prayers so when she had finished her usual form she spoke as follows:

#### HOW TO FALL.

And now, O God, please keep Mabel from being a naughty little girl. There was a pause, then she concluded quaintly: "Neveretheless, Thy will not mine, be done!"—The Island November, 1898, election.

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#### Little Pimples Turn to Cancer.

Cancer often results from an impurity in the blood, inherited from generation to generation. Few people are ever so unfortunate as to be born with it, and it is impossible to fight when it will break out in the form of dreaded cancer.

"Cancer has appeared to be a mere simple or small disease developed into the most malignant disease."

"I had a 'cure' Cancer which was at first only a few blisters, that I thought would go away, but they did not, and I was treated by several physicians, but they did not effect a cure. Therefore the Cancer appeared until my condition became very bad."

"After many months of suffering, the Cancer became steadily worse, I do not know exactly what it was, which was so strongly recommended. The first physician I consulted for improvement. I continued to consult physicians for four months the last fifteen months dropped off, and the Cancer disappeared, and the disease has returned."

Gadsden, Miss.

It is dangerous to experiment with Cancer. The disease is beyond the skill of physicians to cure, and the reason, because it is the only remedy which goes deep enough to reach Cancer.

**S.S.S. For The Blood**

(Swift's Specific) is the only blood remedy guaranteed 100% Vegetable. All the common potato, turnip, turnip, and the most dangerous of mineral.

Book on Cancer and blood diseases mailed free by Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Georgia.

### MOSQUE OF ST. SOPHIA

De Witt Talmage in a Recent Lecture Tells of Its Magnificence.

When the consul general came in his official row boat to take us off our great steamer in the harbor of Constantinople there were many things I wanted to see in that city of multifrom enchantments, but most of all I was anxious to see the ancient architectural church of St. Sophia. St. Sophia is a church, but now a mosque. I do not wonder that when Lamartine saw it he thanked God, and Pouqueville felt himself lifted into some other world. What pillars of porphyry, and walls of malachite, all towering arches, and galleries which seemed to have alighted from heaven instead of being built up from earth! Mosaic and mother of pearl, and seraphim with wings bedimmed and dome which scoops the sky and staggers with its height and circumference all those who gaze at it until they can look no more, but each succeeding time you look, the higher and wider and more magnificient. All the then known world taxed to furnish the splendor of the mosque, and many of the great blocks of stone brought from Alexandria, from Thebes, from Baalbec. Marbles veined, and starred, and striped, and interlaced, and the whole building adorned with depths of blue, and whiteness of snow, and glow of fire, until all terms of magnificence are a depreciation and years after your most extravagant dreams struggle to rebuild it. But after all I must not forget that it is a destroyed church, and that one day that building, which had been dedicated to God, was transformed to a mosque, which has Mohammed for its prophet. One hundred years ago, 100,000 people had fled between its walls from the devastating war of the Turk, but all in vain, for Mohammed II, on horseback and followed by infurated musketeers, rode into that church, the hoof clattering the sacred floors, while the conqueror shouted the victory of separation and invoked Allah, the god of Arabs and Turks, to accept the stupendous pile in dedication:

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Every true man is seeking truth. Fear not, plumb fret not, equals fall not.

The obstinate man is usually too weak-minded to give up.

People are known by where they spend their leisure time.

Loss a minute, and the chase of a lifetime will not catch it.

The preacher who hurts your feelings may be helping your life.

Another Farmer Swindled.

A Robertson country lawyer named John Swisher was bunked out of \$35 on last Monday on a C. & O. train on his way from Cincinnati to Mayville. He loaned a fellow passenger that amount to pay a bill presented to him just as he was leaving the city, under the pretense that he would hand it to him when they reached Augusta where his friend claimed he was in business.

He picked him up for dead. You may hardly believe me, but it had only knocked the wind out of him and shamed him up a bit. The next night he was performing as usual.

That just shows with the muscles of this shoulder, how it can stand an elastic cushion of air in the jumper, and will resist. Then, of course, in the case of gymnasts, the muscles become as hard as iron and furnish a great protection for the bones.

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**League Meeting.**

The Tobacco Growers League met at Lexington Tuesday, and after a very interesting exchange of views, reports, etc., adjourned to meet in same city on the 21st inst.

G. W. Bramblett of this count-  
y made a lengthy speech in which he discussed the whole tobacco business, and gave some valuable information in regard to the tobacco trade. There is no man in the State more competent to talk on this subject than Mr. Bramblett, and we trust that his speech was regarded by the Association as one of the best it has ever heard.

Hon. C. M. Thomas, who is proving to be the right man for the place of State Secretary and organizer, made a grand report of his work, and gave the meeting much valuable information in regard to the possibilities of the League.

At the next meeting all warehousemen, buyers and others interested in the tobacco trade will be invited, and it is expected that much good will be accomplished. — The Mercury, Cal-  
iale.

Almost every man in America has some digestive trouble. When men meet, the greeting usually is, "Well, how are you?" That develops health talk. The man who has no bowel or stomach trouble is almost a curiosity. Trouble is men take no care of themselves. They eat as though they had copper stomachs and bowels of brass. By and by overworked nature rebels. Then come headaches, nervousness, bad blood, liver and kidney trouble. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Falls furnish help for constipation and torpid liver, sick and biliousness, headache, dizziness, sour stomach, loss of appetite, indigestion or dyspepsia, windy belching, "heartburn" pain and distress after eating, and kindred derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels. Accept no substitute.

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or Government Money.**

At close of our Civil War in 1865, there appeared in the London Times the following:

"If that mischievous financial policy which had its origin in the North American Republic during the late Civil War in that country, should become indurated down to a fixture, then that government will furnish its money to the world, with the result that the money that is necessary to carry on its trade and commerce. It will become prosperous beyond precedent in the history of civilized nations of the world. The brain and wealth of all countries will go to North America, THAT GOVERNMENT MUST BE DESTROYED OR IT WILL DESTROY EVERY MONARCHY ON THIS GLOBE."

The famous Hazard circular, to capitalists in New York, and the Bissell Bank circular to United States bondholders, both emanating from London, and the fabulous corruption fund raised in England and Germany, estimated at \$1,500,000, were the agents that secured the closing of our mints against silver.

The "walk into my parlor" policy of England, during and since the Spanish War, is the latest evidence of English diplomacy in shaping the destiny of the United States Government.

Notwithstanding the famine price of wheat, the Spanish War, and fabulous expenditures of money by our government during the past year, gold has increased in value eleven per cent, and all other values decreased in the same proportion.

For a thorough understanding of the Spanish War, the *Cincinnati Enquirer* has unhesitatingly given evidence of its ability to teach, explain and produce all facts and truth. It is a paper that ought and can be read by all classes with pleasure and profit.

**COMPASS FAILABILITY.**

The Possible Cause of the Loss of the Steamer *Mohegan*.

The very fact that the mariner's compass is above all things a superstitious instrument renders it peculiarly liable to those sudden and capricious changes of which many navigators can speak from experience and to their sorrow.

The compass of to-day is perhaps as perfect a production as the highest scientific skill and the most delicate mechanical manipulation can attain to, and yet, at a critical moment, and by causes beyond human foresight, the vagaries of its readings may lead the most experienced seamen into utter disaster.

If, as has been said, there should exist in the vicinity of the Manacles a powerful and uncertain magnetic field by whose influence vessels have at times been quite inexplicably drawn miles out of their course, it will be explained by this hypothesis alone, and it should be borne in mind that this suggested solution of the mystery is strengthened by a reference to the case of the *Palmyra*, lost on the Manacles on March 14, 1855. Here the commander, Capt. Minoff, was steering as he believed due west after passing the Eddystone, and thought he was some dozen miles off the Manacles and four or five from the Lizard, when his ship struck the fatal rocks.

But there are other causes which may, separately or conjointly with the supposed magnetic field in the vicinity of the Mohegan's loss, have contributed to distract her compasses. For instance, we know that the ship had recently undergone extensive alterations. In, the course of carrying out these any considerable hammering of the beams or plating were necessary, then that part of the metallic structure may have had its magnetic polarity interfered with, even to the point of reversal. If such were the case, it would be interesting to know whether the compasses were readjusted to meet the altered conditions, before the vessel proceeded on her last, and, as it proved, calamitous voyage. Again, there is the possibility of compass deviation due to the presence of the dynamo. Large external magnetic fields would probably be lying dormant until the lights were switched on, perhaps only an hour or less before the Mohegan struck. Such a deflection would, of course, vary steadily—that is, without the rotation of the needle—directly as the number of lights increased. In the experiments on the Royalist one wire from the dynamo was led under the standard compass at a distance of 13 feet, the return being separated only five feet from it. With these conditions it was observed that a current of about 100 amperes caused a deflection of eight degrees in the compass, which, incidentally, was set into an excellent pendulum gyrometer.

That such exaggerated conditions are known on the Mohegan we do not for a moment suggest, but that these disturbing influences may have been produced on a minor scale is well within the bounds of probability. We have seen a sensitive needle "jump" to the influence of the magnetized ribs of an otherwise inoffensive and innocent-looking umbrella, and many of us have suffered the inconvenience of a magnetized watch—a small mass of metal, truly, perhaps, in the pocket of an officer or the binacle arm of an admiral—sufficient to deviate the compass card. Such a deflection would, of course, vary steadily—that is, without the rotation of the needle—directly as the number of lights increased. In the experiments on the Royalist one wire from the dynamo was led under the standard compass at a distance of 13 feet, the return being separated only five feet from it. With these conditions it was observed that a current of about 100 amperes caused a deflection of eight degrees in the compass, which, incidentally, was set into an excellent pendulum gyrometer.

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Lions on the Increase.

In several letters received by the last mail from East Central Africa mention is made, I am told, of the unusual number of lions that have made their appearance in the country. One well-known hunter, whose experience in Africa is great, says that these animals are a perfect terror, not a single person without one or more of the brutes breaking into a Massai village and carrying off people or live stock. On one occasion recently a lion stalked into camp, and in spite of all that could be done, carried off a Swahili porter from within a few feet of a bright watch fire, where there were men awake on guard. Massalid is otherwise described as a magnificent country, teeming with game of all kinds, and as healthy as can be found in Europe—Birmingham Post.

In the British Museum.

The British museum contains the complete manuscript of Pope's *Translations of the "Iliad"* and *"Odyssey."* Much of the copy is written on the backs of letters, and among them are epistles from Steele, Addison, Rowe, Young and other celebrities.

**NOVEL NAVAL ADVICE.**

French Expert Recommends Slow Battleships of Great Power.

I send you a few points from a conversation with M. Normaud, the noted constructor of war vessels, especially torpedo boats, for the French government, of which class he has several on hand. M. Augustin Normaud remarked that undoubtedly France was inferior to Great Britain in number of warships, but it was useless to attempt to decide before the result of a modern naval war. It could, however, be accepted as a principle, both as to naval fighting and warfare on land, that different tactics must be adopted by the weaker from those employed by the stronger power. For the weaker side to imitate the methods of the stronger must lead to disaster. To continue to compete with England on the same lines, but with less money to spend for naval armaments, France, having a large army to maintain, would lead to her being reduced to a position of impotence on the water.

The experienced constructor recommends a certain order to insure a chance of success, the employment of a different strategy, opposite tactics, and dissimilar weapons from those adopted by the adversary. It is of no use for France to build one ship when England is building three, copying at the same time British types of vessel. The only thing in which to imitate the navy of Albion is in its numbers. He recommends a general reduction in the speed of French vessels in order to increase their numbers, with also at the same time an increase in their defensive power. A lesser fleet of very rapid vessels would be fatal; they would be no use against the enemy's superior ships, which would still under a neutral flag. They could only use their speed to escape from superior numbers.

So much is this the question to the fore that the government has actually ordered M. Normaud to build two armored engorging torpedo boats, which are now being constructed in his yards, in addition to others in the Mediterranean arsenals. The business of battleships is to fight under the most favorable conditions, therefore number and strength are for them more important than for speed. Cruisers are for these reasons not so useful as flotillas of torpedo boats, because they are not built for fighting battleships nor capture merchant steamers under another flag. The speed of torpedo vessels, as well as of the vessels that escort them, should be great, and of course the scouts. All the other fighting ships should possess a comparatively low rate of speed.

These are the views of a French expert, given for the benefit of his countrymen. —Pall Mall Gazette.

**THE HUNGER CURE.**

American People Eat Too Much and Too Often.

Two articles in the *Cosmopolitan* have for them the motto that hunger at times may be a very valuable therapeutic agent. One of these articles, by Mark Twain, sets this forth in the author's fanciful and whimsical fashion, while the other, by Dr. W. J. Youmans, puts it in scientific terms. Probably the truth that these articles inculcate is one that needs to be impressed on Americans generally. The *Medical Times and Register* has the following to say on the subject:

"The moral of both articles, briefly stated, is that we eat too much, and times when there is no disposition upon the part of the alimentary organs to digest, we eat, and when, instead of eating food at stated periods, to wait until the craving of the stomach demands food, no matter how long that may be, presupposing, of course, that the digestive organs are in a physiological condition. From a disease standpoint the condition may be in such a low, nervous condition that the lack of nutritional tone may be intensified to such a degree as to make no demands for food.

"There is much to be said in favor of the facts contained in both articles, for it cannot be questioned that we eat entirely too much for the proper preservation of the natural force of our bodies. We naturally accumulate more than we can use, and, despite the fact that we have a surplus of tissue we are in a state of physiological bankruptcy.

"The general conclusions to be derived from both articles are that Americans as a rule consume an excessive amount of food, the excesses being most pronounced in the line of meats and sweets."

Catered for Royalty.

Charles Paul Auguste Cuvillier, who recently died, was the Delicatessen of Paris. His eating extended to all the royal families of Europe and many of them sent wreaths and other floral tributes to the funeral. He was 70 years old.

Samson-Blacksmiths.

Every battleship has a blacksmith shop on board, and a number of sea-men-blacksmiths. Also a carpenter's shop and an electrician's department.

Cause Surprise.

There are some people one is always surprised to find busy at anything.—Washington (Ia.) Democrat.

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## REV. G. C. ABBITT

Writes a Letter Defending Bishop Potter.

An Epistle From the Bishop to Rev. G. M. Hammell.

Ascension Church Rectory, February 4, 1899.—To the editor of the Advocate: As so much is being said about Bishop Potter's views in regard to the saloon, would it not be well to let him speak for himself? It will then be seen how grossly he has been misrepresented. I append a letter from him addressed to Rev. George M. Hammell, editor of the Western Christian Advocate of Cincinnati. The letter was dated January 21, and was as follows:

MY DEAR SIR: You have been misinformed. I have never expressed any opinion as to the "drainship." In a recent address in behalf of coffee houses, coffee was called "a drink and a tonic" and that "nothing answering to the saloon, i.e., places of inexpensive recreation and refreshment would always be a necessity." I may add that until it is provided the mischief of the saloon, which nobody recognizes more clearly than I do, is driven to cover, but it cannot be abolished. Something better, something wholesome, harmless, unadulterated, and undiluted must take its place and so expel by substitution.

Prohibition has failed to do this, and legislation has failed. Deputies, untrained, in a case of Christian capital, wisely employed, the history of the Liverpool coffee houses has shown.

Very truly, H. C. POTTER.

Hope you will find space in your columns for this communication, I am, Very truly, G. C. ABBITT.

## LAND, STOCK AND CROPS.

C. M. Thomas, receiver for the estate of Mrs. Woodford, rented over 1,100 acres of Bourbon land for grazing at prices ranging from \$3.00 to \$8.00 per acre. The tract of 30 acres rented for \$100. There were nine cattle.

George Carrick, of Scott, sold 16,000 pounds of tobacco to the American Tobacco Company for \$1 cent. W. H. Hinton, of same county sold 6,000 pounds at \$1 cents.

Milt Young of McGrathiana Stud has sold to Bruce, Seaton, of New Market, England, ten yearling fillies for \$5,000. They are the get of Hanover, Stratford and Onondaga. This is the greatest number of horses ever purchased in Kentucky for shipment to England.

Dogs killed sixteen and wounded twelve out of a flock of thirty ewes, belonging to John M. Bedford of Millersburg. One dog was shot on the spot and two others chased to town and killed.

Lawrence Fassett, of Flat Creek sold 200 lbs of corn to J. H. Scott at \$2 per barrel.

John Harper and John Cepher sold and delivered their tobacco to J. D. Noel at 73 cents.

Squire H. C. Weile, of Bramblett has bought the John Gillespie farm of 93 acres for which he paid \$5,000.

Another Big Combine With a Capital of \$32,000,000.

Horse Thief Caught. Charles Shedd, Deputy Jailer, after a long chase captured Henry Lawrence charged with stealing a horse from a Clark county party about one year ago, on last Wednesday morning. He was lodged in jail here. Lawrence had given bond for his appearance at the term of the Circuit Court, but when the case was called failed to appear, and Mr. Shedd was put on his track.

Coughed 25 Years. I suffered for 25 years with a cough, and spent hundreds of dollars with doctors for medicine to no avail until I used Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. This remedy made weak lungs strong. It has saved my life.—J. B. Rosell, Granenburg, Ill.

A prisoner in San Francisco jail saturated his clothes with coal oil and set fire to it. He died in a short time.

Enterprising farmers should avail themselves of the offer made by L. T. and Chas. Hagan, of Winchester. See their ad.

## GEN. PALMER,

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The House Committee on Invalid Pensions, on Saturday reported favorably the Senate bill pensioning Gen. John M. Palmer, of Illinois, the amount being reduced from \$100 to \$50. The report says of Gen. Palmer:

"Nearly always an office-holder and strictly honest, he finds himself now, in his eighty-second year, retired to private life without means or income, broken in health, blind in one eye and rapidly losing the sight of the other."

The report refers to Mr. Palmer's services at the head of the Senate Pension Committee, his liberal treatment of the soldiers and yet his opposition to "large sentimental pensions based on social circumstances and political pull."

Under such circumstances, the report states, \$50 per month is all that Gen. Palmer himself will approve. Accompany the report are letters and affidavits showing Gen. Palmer's position.

Prohibition has failed to do this, and legislation has failed. Deputies, untrained, in a case of Christian capital, wisely employed, the history of the Liverpool coffee houses has shown.

Very truly yours, H. C. POTTER.

Hope you will find space in your columns for this communication, I am, Very truly, G. C. ABBITT.

## A Fleshy Consumptive

Did you ever see one? Did you ever hear of one? Most certainly not. Consumption is a disease that invariably causes loss of flesh.

If you are light in weight, even if your cough is only a slight one, you should certainly take

## Scott's Emulsion

of cod liver oil with hypo-phosphites. No remedy is such a perfect preventive to consumption as this. Just as the moment your health begins to weaken and you find you are losing flesh, you should begin to take it.

And no other remedy has cured so many cases of consumption. Unless you are far advanced with this disease, Scott's Emulsion will hold every inducement to you for a perfect cure.

All Druggists, Soc. & Co., Vicksburg, Miss.

Ninety-Three Trusts in 1898.

Ninety-three trusts were organized in the United States during the past year, aggregating a total valuation of \$1,393,749,200. The Federal Steel Co. was the largest trust organized during the year, having a capitalization of \$200,000,000.

Judging by the rapidity with which combines are being formed since January 1, it seems that most every manufactured article will soon be controlled by a combine.

Another Big Combine With a Capital of \$32,000,000.

Fifty-seven of the large distilleries of Kentucky have formed a combine with a capital reported to be \$32,000,000. The organization was effected on Wednesday.

Geo. A. Custer has resigned his position with the Home Steam Laundry of this city, and has gone to Piqua, Ohio, where he has bought an interest in the laundry of that place. The many friends of Mr. Custer in this city regret very much to see him go, but wish him much success in his new enterprise. He will be succeeded here by Thos. Forman.

The back tax collector of Lexington, has been enjoined from selling the property of Miss Clara Bell for back taxes amounting to \$13,000. Miss Bell is only 13 years old. Her property, held in trust, amounts to nearly half a million.

Wants All.

Aguinaldo claims jurisdiction over the entire Philippine group.

A snow slide killed seven persons in Canada and swept away roundhouse and railway station.

## A HORSE

SOLD FOR \$3.00 IN CASH

Arouses the Suspicions of Our Chief of Police.

On last Friday afternoon a young man giving his name as Will Holland and claiming to be from Wade's Mill, Clark county, sold a good horse, bridle and spurs to one of our horse jockeys for the small sum of three dollars.

The horse was a comparatively good one, and some of our officials bearing of the sale, looked upon it with suspicion, consequently Chief Wilson started out in search of the vendor, and when that individual heard the Chief wished to see him, thought it best to avoid a meeting just at that time and started to leave the city afoot, but had gone but a short distance when overtaken.

The officers, however, were doubtful as to whether a case could be made against him and he was released. He left the city on a West bound train.

## ANOTHER VERSION

Of Bishop Potter's Idea Concerning Saloons.

What many of Bishop Henry C. Potter's friends call his "Twentieth Century Saloon" is now assured. The last dollar of the fund of \$15,000 needed to start the work of providing a substitute for the saloon, which shall have all the attractions of the saloon, minus intoxicating drinks, has been contributed. Carpenters have begun the work of digging out the heart of the six-story building at 131 Bowery, New York, and as speedily as possible it will be fitted up as "Squires Inn No. 1."

Bishop Potter hopes in ten years there will be in that city a Squires Inn No. 100, and they will solve the great social problem of providing for those who like to patronize the saloon something they will like better.

Bishop Potter believes the saloon exists because it meets a want, but he also believes it meets it in a way destructive of home and all the name stands for. His idea of a "Twentieth Century Saloon" is that it should be a big, cheery place, as irresistible as a saloon, where a man will get a clean, well cooked meal at a cheap rate, some form of entertainment, and where he can read his newspaper, smoke his pipe, and talk with his friends with a freedom tempered by good behavior—a place that will only differ from the saloon in that it sells no intoxicating liquor.

## CASTORIA.

Be the Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bear the Signature of  
Cast. H. Fletcher

Record Broken.

The Court of Appeals in the mouth just closed broke all previous records by disposing of one hundred and twenty-one cases. The largest number ever decided in a single month here-to-fore was one hundred.

Weak Eyes Are Made Strong.

Dim vision made clear, eyes removed and granulated lids or sore eyes of any kind speedily and effectively cured by the use of Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve. It's put in tubes, and sold on a guarantee by all good druggists.

Brent DeJarnette, Deputy United States Marshal, on Friday shot and seriously wounded Jesse Kinnair, aged 21, near Williamsburg. Kinnair was drinking.

Arrangements are perfecting for the combination of the cast iron pipe factories. Officers have been elected, Capital \$30,000,000.

## To Loan, \$1,000,

For three years on city or farm property. Can furnish money in two days.

A. HOFFMAN, AGT.

W. C. and R. T. Hayes who have for several years sold dry goods in Winchester have gone to Louisville, Ky. Hayes is one of the first of Hayes & Newmeyer, of this city.

President Charles A. Walcott, of the defunct Russellville, Kan., bank, is short in his accounts and has skipped.

Since the whisky combine prices have advanced materially.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature  
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In Use For Over Thirty Years  
CASTORIA

THE CENTRAL COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

## A Great Sensation.

WHEELER & JOHNS have decided to continue in business in Mt. Sterling and are now preparing to offer the greatest bargains in all kinds of

## Nice Furniture

We have two Ladies' Desks like cut that we will offer this week at

\$5.25 which are \$7.00

Also two Solid Oak Combination Book Cases at

\$10.85 and \$12.00.

These cases are worth great deal more.

If you will visit our store you will be convinced that when we say

## Bargains we mean bargains.

You do not have to go to other cities to buy your furniture on account of high prices. We will sell you what you want at CINCINNATI PRICES.

## WHEELER &amp; JOHNS,

Wholesale and Retailers, Under the Opera House Building.

## Mt. Sterling, Ky.

## Public Sale.

On Saturday Feb., 18th, at two o'clock we will sell at public sale the desirable home of Mrs. Emily Stofer, deceased. It is a new, modern, two story six room house with first class outbuildings, fine garden, abundant water, and grounds comprise 44 acres.

This is one of the most desirable suburban homes. Terms to suit purchaser.

HOMES OF THE DECEASED.

H. H. Fletcher, Auctioneer.

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Mr. E. Frankel, proprietor of the New York store, will soon begin his business in this city from Winchester. He is now here.

## For Rent.

My place, seven and one-half acres, one mile from the court house on the Grassy Lick pike. Residence has five rooms and all necessary outbuildings; good orchard; good garden. Apply to John M. Morris, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

## For Sale.

350 shocks of corn, with good feed lot of 50 acres to feed on.

WILLIAM ECTON,

Camargo, Ky.

People of "means" should know that it means responsibility.



